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**Maycomb, AL:**   
With only days until the trial of Tom Robinson, a man accused of raping a young woman related to the Ewell family, tensions grew high at the Maycomb County jail as a mob of men came with the intention of harming Mr. Robinson.  
As Mr. Atticus Finch and Mr. Underwood protected Robinson, the men wanted to speak with Robinson and possibly take justice into their own hands. It was only when a young group of kids, two of whom are believed to be related to the defense lawyer, Mr. Finch, came and broke up the mob. A relative of the Finch’s who goes by the name Alexandra did not believe that any real harm would fall upon Mr. Robinson or the children and was quoted as saying **“nonsense, Mr. Underwood was there the whole time” (209).** It is believed that Mr. Underwood was carrying a shotgun, but it is unknown at this time if the mob was carrying weapons.



**Above**: The mob in question

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